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	19981790	G	Textron Inc.
		G	The Boeing Company
		G	The Boeing Company.
	19982164	G	Harley Lippman.
		G	Renaissance Worldwide, Inc.
		G	Renaissance Worldwide, Inc.

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02-Mar-98	19981610	G	Philip F. Anschutz.
		G	Phoenix Network, Inc.
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	19981729	G	Lafite.
		G	The Chalone Wine Group, Ltd.
		G	The Chalone Wine Group, Ltd.
	19981738	G	Pool Energy Services Co.
		G	Al A. Gonsoulin.
		G	Sea Mar, Inc.
	19981745	G	CGW Southeast Partners III, L.P.
		G	Charter Oak Partners, L.P.
		G	SIMCALA, Inc.
	19981749	G	American Capital Strategies, Ltd.
		G	Richard G. Chance.
		G	Chance Coach, Inc.
	19981753	G	The Beacon Group III—Focus Value Fund, L.P.
		G	OnCare, Inc.
		G	OnCare, Inc.
	19981761	G	Rexall Sundown, Inc.
		G	IVAX Corporation.
		G	Goldcaps, Inc. and Zenith Goldline Golden Glades, Inc.
	19981763	G	Applied Graphics Technologies, Inc.
		G	Devon Group, Inc.
		G	Devon Group, Inc.
	19981764	G	Marne Obernauer, Jr.
		G	Applied Graphics Technologies, Inc.
		G	Applied Graphics Technologies, Inc.
	19981765	G	Clayton, Dubilier & Rice Fund V Limited Partnership.
		G	The Gillette Company.
		G	Jafrá Cosmetics International, Inc.
	19981766	G	DLJ Merchant Banking Partners II, LP.
		G	Thermadyne Holdings Corporation.
		G	Thermadyne Holdings Corporation.
	19981770	G	The York Group, Inc.
		G	Colonial Guild, Ltd.
		G	Colonial Guild, Ltd.
	19981771	G	MDC Communications Corporation.
		G	Artistic Greetings Incorporated.

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		G	Artistic Greetings Incorporated.
	19981773	G	FirstService Corporation.
		G	TeleSpectrum Worldwide Inc.
		G	TeleSpectrum Worldwide Inc.
	19981775	G	Charterhouse Equity Partners III, L.P.
		G	Dennis Mehiel.
		G	The Fonda Group, Inc.
	19981779	G	Dain Rauscher Corporation.
		G	Wessels, Arnold & Henderson Group, L.L.C.
		G	Wessels, Arnold & Henderson Group, L.L.C.
	19981781	G	Kommanditgesellschaft Delta Betsiligungs-gessellschaf Co.
		G	Gordon I. Segal.
		G	Euromarket Designs, Inc. & Euromarket Designs, Inc.
	19981787	G	Centocor, Inc.
		G	Dr. h.c. Paul Sacher (a Swiss national).
		G	Roche Healthcare Limited (a Bermudian company).
	19981788	G	Tele-Communications, Inc.
		G	TLMD Station Group, Inc.
		G	TLMD Station Group, Inc.
	19981793	G	Contour Holdings, Inc.
		G	TA Acquisition Holdings, Inc.
		G	TA Acquisition Holdings, Inc.
	19981794	G	Bunge International Limited (a Bermuda corporation).
		G	Au Bon Pain Co., Inc.
		G	ABP Midwest.
	19981796	G	Apollo Investment Fund III, LP.
		G	Telemundo Group, Inc.
		G	Telemundo Group, Inc.
	19981798	G	Sony Corporation.
		G	Apollo Investment Fund III, LP.
		G	Telemundo Group, Inc.
	19981799	G	Texas Utilities Company.
		G	The Energy Group PLC.
		G	The Energy Group PLC.
	19981813	G	Specialty Teleconstructors, Inc.
		G	Picks, Muse, Tate, Furst Equity Fund III, L.P.
		G	OmniAmerica Holdings Corporation.
03-Mar-98	19981742	G	Commonwealth Energy System.
		G	President and Fellows of Harvard College.
		G	Medicaid Area Total Energy Plant, Inc. & Cogeneration.
	19981767	G	Wallace S. Wilson
		G	Smith International, Inc.
		G	Smith International, Inc.
	19981772	G	Polymer Group, Inc.
		G	Exxon Corporation.
		G	Exxon Corporation.
	19981776	G	Aviation Sales Company.
		G	Benito Quevedo.
		G	Caribe Aviation, Inc.
	19981792	G	Perseus Capital, L.L.C.
		G	The News Corporation Limited, an Australian company.
		G	Westview Books
	19981812	G	Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund III, L.P.
		G	Specialty Teleconstructions, Inc.
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		G	Specialty Teleconstructions, Inc.
04-Mar-98	19981722	G	Pioneer-Standard Electronics, Inc.
		G	Gordon L. and Melissa W. Dickens III (Husband and Wife).
		G	Dickens Data Systems, Inc.
	19981724	G	Marathon Fund Limited Partnership, III.
		G	John R. and Carolyn J. Maness.
		G	Dixie Bedding Company.
	19981783	G	Gordon I. Segal.
		G	Kommanditgesellschaft Delta Beteiligungsgesellscha Co.
		G	Clipper Holdings, Inc.
05-Mar-98	19981672	G	Prudential Corporation plc (A British Company).
		G	NuWorld Marketing Limited.
		G	NuWorld Marketing Limited.
	19981681	G	Republic Industries, Inc.
		G	Donald C. Mealey.
		G	First Team Automotive Corp.

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06-Mar-98	19981706	G	Res-Care, Inc.
		G	Normal Life, Inc.
		G	Normal Life, Inc.
06-Mar-98	19981663	G	United Health Care Corporation.
		G	Eugene W. Lorenz.
		G	NexUS Healthcare Information Corporation.
09-Mar-98	19982025	G	Reinhold Wurth.
		G	Service Supply Co., Inc. of Indiana.
		G	Service Supply Co., Inc. of Indiana.
09-Mar-98	19981638	G	Essilor International, S.A. (Compagnie Generale).
		G	Bell Optical Laboratory, Inc.
		G	Bell Optical Laboratory, Inc.
09-Mar-98	19981698	Y	Smith International, Inc.
		Y	Wilson Industries, Inc.
		Y	Wilson Industries, Inc.
09-Mar-98	19981708	G	Statesman Financial Corporation.
		G	Michigan Livestock Exchange.
		G	Michigan Livestock Credit Corporation.
09-Mar-98	19981744	G	American Radio Systems Corporation.
		G	N.L. Bentson.
		G	WIT Communications, Inc., Washington International.
09-Mar-98	19981784	G	The 1964 Simmons Trust.
		G	Tremont Corporation.
		G	Tremont Corporation.
09-Mar-98	19981856	G	Tommy Hilfiger Corporation.
		G	Sportswear Holdings Limited.
		G	Sportswear Holdings Limited.
10-Mar-98	19981886	G	Pepe Jeans USA, Inc.
		G	Spartan Communications, Inc.
		G	WKRG-TV, Inc.
10-Mar-98	19981703	G	WKRG-TV, Inc.
		G	Letitia Corporation.
		G	Stewart Warner Instrument Corporation.
10-Mar-98	19981824	G	Stewart Warner Instrument Corporation.
		G	Siebe plc.
		G	Ronald O. Perelman.
10-Mar-98	19981854	G	Coleman Safety and Security Products, Inc.
		G	RLLW, Inc.
		G	Tricon Global Restaurants, Inc.
10-Mar-98	19981855	G	Pizza Hut, Inc.
		G	Sportswear Holdings Limited.
		G	Tommy Hilfiger Corporation.
10-Mar-98	19981857	G	Tommy Hilfiger Corporation.
		G	Pepe Jeans USA, Inc.
		G	HIG Investment Group, L.P.
10-Mar-98	19981858	G	Richard J. Sosebee.
		G	Cellular Warehouse, Inc.
		G	HIG Investment Group, LP.
10-Mar-98	19981860	G	Frederick L. Hill, III.
		G	Cellular Warehouse, Inc.
		G	The Dow Chemical Company.
10-Mar-98	19981867	G	The Dow Chemical Company.
		G	Chemtech Royalty Associates, L.P.
		G	Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst, Equity Fund III, L.P.
10-Mar-98	19981868	G	The Hearst Trust.
		G	Hearst-Argyle stations, Inc.
		G	The Hearst Trust.
10-Mar-98	19981869	G	Hick, Muse, Tate & Furst Equity Fund III, L.P.
		G	STC Broadcasting, Inc.
		G	JP Foodservice, Inc.
10-Mar-98	19981872	G	Westlund Provisions, Inc.
		G	Westlund Provisions, Inc.
		G	Chattem, Inc.
10-Mar-98	19981873	G	Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.
		G	Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.
		G	International Paper Company.
10-Mar-98	19981881	G	The Company.
		G	The Company.
		G	American International Group, Inc.
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11-Mar-98	19981664	G	International Business Machines Corporation.
		G	CommQuest Technologies, Inc.
	19981669	G	CommQuest Technologies, Inc.
		Y	Total Renal Care Holdings, Inc.
	19981747	Y	William P. Nixon, Jr., M.D.
		Y	Southeastern Dialysis Center, Inc.
		G	Toolex International N.V.
	19981831	G	Mr. Bruce Del Mar.
		G	Del Mar Avionics, Inc.
		G	Premier Parks Inc.
		G	Time Warner Inc.
	19981859	G	Six Flags Entertainment Corporation.
		G	National Data Corporation.
		G	Data Broadcasting Corporation.
	19981875	G	Check Rite International, Inc.
		G	General Electric Company.
		G	Neff Corporation.
	19981877	G	Neff Corporation.
		G	TPG Investors II, LP.
		G	Oxford Health Plans, Inc.
	19981878	G	Oxford Health Plans, Inc.
		G	TPG Parallel II, LP.
		G	Oxford Health Plans, Inc.
	19981879	G	Oxford Health Plans, Inc.
		G	TPG Partners II, LP.
		G	Oxford Health Plans, Inc.
	19981885	G	Oxford Health Plans, Inc.
		G	Dassault Systems S.A.
		G	International Business Machines Corporation.
	19982022	G	International Business Machines Corporation.
		G	Sunrise Medical Inc.
		G	Sentient Systems Technology, Inc.
	19982087	G	Sentient Systems Technology, Inc.
G		Ronald Stamato.	
G		Eastern Environmental Services, Inc.	
12-Mar-98	19981728	G	Hudson Jersey Sanitation Co.
		G	Ronald I. Dozoretz, M.D.
	19981791	G	Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corporation.
		G	Value Behavioral Health, Inc., Value Health Reinsurance.
		G	Princes Gate Investors II, LP.
	19981816	G	Corporacion Impsa S.A.
		G	Impact Corporation.
		G	Zurich Allied AG.
	19981819	G	Newco.
		G	Newco.
G		Allied Zurich p.l.c.	
13-Mar-98	19981760	G	Newco.
		G	Catholic Healthcare West.
		G	Community Health Systems of San Bernardino, Inc.
	19981803	G	Community Hospital of San Bernardino.
		G	Johnson & Johnson.
		G	Ergo Science Corporation.
	19981899	G	Ergo Science Corporation.
		G	Pomeroy Computer Resources, Inc.
		G	Global Combined Technologies, Inc.
	19981903	G	Global Combined Technologies, Inc.
		G	Code, Hennessey & Simmons III, L.P.
		G	Randall G. Mourot.
19981990	G	Mail Contractors of Arkansas, Inc., Mail Contractors Amer.	
	G	Marriott International, Inc.	
	G	William B. Johnson.	
		G	The Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, LLC.

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		G	American Waste Services, Inc.
	19981852	G	American Waste Services, Inc.
		G	Bass PLC (a British company).
	19981932	G	IHC Toshi Jigyo Kumiai.
		G	Saison Holdings B.V.
		G	SPS Technologies, Inc.
	19981947	G	Greenville Metals, Inc.
		G	Greenville Metals, Inc.
		G	Interpublic Group of companies, Inc. (The).
	19981984	G	Carmichael Lynch, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan.
		G	Carmichael Lynch, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan.
	19982013	G	Ford Motor Company.
		G	Emergent Group, Inc.
		G	Loan Pro\$, Inc.; Premeier Financial Services, Inc.
	19982018	G	Corning Incorporated.
		G	Pharmacopeia, Inc.
		G	Pharmacopeia, Inc.
	19982028	G	General Electric Company.
		G	Integration Alliance Corporation.
		G	Integration Alliance Corporation.
	19982029	G	EVI, Inc.
		G	Christiana Companies, Inc.
		G	Christiana Companies, Inc.
	19982035	G	Sheldon B. Lubar.
		G	EVI, Inc.
		G	EVI, Inc.
	19982042	G	Richard A. Bernstein.
		G	KBMC Management.
		G	MANO Holdings, LLC.
	19982050	G	Texas Utilities Company.
		G	The Energy Group plc.
		G	The Energy Group plc.
	19982051	G	Boston Ventures Limited Partnership V.
		G	Richard Treibick.
		G	Cable Holdings of Georgia, Inc.
	19982058	G	Cintas Corporation.
		G	Uniforms To You and Company.
		G	Uniforms To You and Company.
	19982088	G	Whitehall Associates, L.P.
		G	Corning Incorporated.
		G	Corning Consumer Products Company.
19982107	G	Patrick Stamato.	
	G	Eastern Environmental Services, Inc.	
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19982108	G	Emery-Waterhouse Company (The).	
	G	David G. Cook (debtor-in-possession).	
	G	L.G. Cook Distributor, Inc.	
17-Mar-98	19981743	G	United Hardware Distributing Co.
		G	David G. Cook (debtor-in-possession).
		G	L.G. Cook Distributor, Inc.
		G	Harnischfeger Industries, Inc.